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1. Seven Soviet aircraft were seen at Tirana airport by several persons with whom informant spoke prior to departing from Albania; from conversations with these people, informant was given to understand that these planes were not jet-planes. The pilots of these planes are Albanians who had formerly been in the Italian Air Force, and who had received additional training in the USSR.

2. According to informant, the airfield in the vicinity of Durres has been completely abandoned.

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